

Farmer Cooperation Needed To Support Grain Prices

Effectiveness of the 1948-49 Price Support Program for wheat, corn and other grains covered by the Government support program depends on the cooperation of farmers themselves, says B. F. Vance, chairman of the Texas Committee of the Production and Marketing Administration.

No farmer needs to take less than the support price for his grain if he will avail himself of the provisions of the price support program, the chairman explains. But it is up to the individual farmer to use the program before it can be effective in supporting prices for him.

Both loans and purchase agreements are available to support the prices of wheat, corn, oats, barley, rye and grain sorghums. Where a farmer needs the money, he can obtain a loan at specified rates providing the grain is properly stored. Under the purchase agreement provision, the farmers specifies in the agreement the quantity of grain to be supported. He holds title to the grain and may sell it on the open market if he wishes. But under the terms of the agreement, the Commodity Credit Corporation stands ready to accept any quantity of the grain up to the quantity specified in the agreement and pay the support price for it. Acceptance of the grain by CCC is subject to grade specification as outlined in the purchase agreement.

This year the combined crop of corn, wheat, oats, barley, rye and grain sorghums is expected to produce 6,444 million bushels. That is a billion bushels more than last year and 1 1-2 billion bushels more than the pre-war average. Considering corn alone, storage will be needed for about 600 million bushels.

With little prospect of additional storage, the chairman explains. Loans will be made on grain in acceptable temporary storage on farms. Action by farmers to provide permanent storage for their grain also is urged by the chairman, since grain stored on farms is a stabilizing factor in supporting prices. More farm storage means that farmers will be able to spread marketing over the year instead of overtaxing marketing facilities at harvest time.

Mrs. Pronger Elected THDA Chairman

Mrs. Alfred Pronger, Jr., was elected T. H. D. A. chairman for Sherman County at the regular meeting of the council Friday.

Reports were given by the following: "Expansion and Exhibit Chairman," Mrs. Luther Browder; "Education Chairman," Mrs. Tommy Wakefield; "Senior 4-H girls chairman," Mrs. H. C. Bennett; "Junior 4-H girls chairman," Mrs. Tommy Wakefield; Mrs. Tommy Baskin, President of the South Side Club; Mrs. C. T. Williams, President of the Texoma Club; Mrs. Tommy Wakefield, President of the Star Club; and Mrs. Leon Guthrie, President of the Best Yet Club.

Mrs. Luther Browder, Mrs. Bekki Lavake, and Mrs. Baskin Brown were elected as delegates to the State meeting.

Those present were Mrs. Luther Browder, Mrs. Tommy Wakefield, Mrs. Raymond Keener, Mrs. Wayne Harding, Mrs. Leon Guthrie, Mr. Oma Ellison, Mrs. C. T. Villiam, Mrs. H. K. Wolfe, Mrs. Tommy Baskin, and Mrs. Harold Bennett.

Jimmie Barnes Injured In Car Wreck At Etter

James C. Barnes, better known as "Jimmie" is in St. Anthony's hospital in Amarillo receiving treatment for a crushed left arm. According to brief reports of the accident, Barnes was passing a car at Etter when his tires struck loose gravel. He is said to have applied his brakes. The car turned over resulting in his injury.

The hairspring in a lady's wristwatch is less than 1-3 the diameter of an average human hair and vibrates 18,000 times an hour.

County To Select Queen Monday

The Sherman County Farm Bureau and Stratford Lions are sponsoring a Sherman County Queen Contest.

Miss Stratford will be selected by three out of town judges from the group of nominations and crowned queen of Sherman County at a social Monday evening starting at 8:30 P. M. in the American Legion Hall at Stratford. Nominations for Miss Stratford should be made to a member of the Queen contest committee composed of Mrs. Luther Browder, Mrs. Emil Blanck, Mrs. T. L. Wakefield, A. E. Pronger, Arthur Milton, R. C. Buckles, Earl Bond, Walter Pendleton and E. Goule.

Miss Stratford will represent Sherman County at the Perryton celebration next week-end and again at the District One Farm Bureau Convention in Amarillo. The winner of the County Queens from the Panhandle at Amarillo will represent this district at the State Convention in San Antonio in November. The State winner will be given a free trip to the National Farm Bureau convention in Atlanta, New Jersey in December by the State Farm Bureau Federation.

The rules for the contest call for a young lady between the ages of 16 and 22 and she will be judged by the following score card:

- (1) General appearance, 40 points.
- (2) Poise, 35 points.
- (3) Personality, 25 points.

The contestants will make their appearance in street dresses Monday evening for the judging. Her family must be a member of the Sherman County Farm Bureau or eligible and willing to become a member.

This is an informal social gathering and the general public is invited to attend. Refreshments will be served and domino games and folk dancing will be in order for the occasion. Mrs. Dawson of Texhoma will be present to lead the folk dancing. So come out and see the prettiest girls in Sherman County on parade and enjoy an evening of entertainment sponsored by our two leading civic organizations. Let's make the old hall roar for Miss Stratford Monday evening August 16th. Arrangements have been completed for air conditioning the Legion Hall for your pleasure and a fast moving program planned.

This is a real opportunity for business concerns or public spirited men and women to support a good cause and help put Stratford before the public by sponsoring one of the contestants for Queen. Get their name in at once, so her name can be posted along with the other entries at the theater, First State Bank, and Earl Bond's Studio. You may enter your nomination by presenting her name to any member of the queen contest committee.

Sherman County is first in the state in percentage of Farm Bureau membership and a leader in all Farm Bureau activities, so why not rank first in this queen contest. Our girls are second to none.

Two Wells Tested

Two small Sherman County gas wells were tested by the Railroad Commission this week.

Shamrock Oil and Gas Corporation No. 1 Brannan "C" in section 54, Block 2, was drilled to a total depth of 3,210 feet and plugged back to 3,185. It produced pay from 2,955 to 3,150 and after acidizing with 44,000 gallons of acid, the well produced 6.58 million cubic feet of gas with a rock pressure of 414 pounds.

Shamrock Oil and Gas Corporation No. 6 Flores in section 39, Block 3-T, was drilled to a depth of 3,354 feet. It produced pay from 3,030 to 3,290 feet. The well was perforated and after treatment with 37,000 gallons of acid it produced 5.52 million cubic feet of gas with a rock pressure of 383 pounds.

Texas is the only state of the Union that may divide itself into five separate states.

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Legion To Sponsor Dance Saturday Night

A dance sponsored by the American Legion will be staged in the American Legion Hall Saturday night. Dancing will commence at 9:00 P. M. and the music of Doug Cornwall and his band will continue for four hours. An admission of \$1.20 including tax will be charged.

Miss Eastman Wed Sunday

Miss Alene Eastman became the bride of Bill Hogue Sunday afternoon. The marriage vows were read by Rev. Gilbert Eastman, pastor of the First Christian Church of Tucumcari, New Mexico, father of the bride.

The ceremony took place in the Dunn Memorial Chapel. Over two hundred guests attended the wedding and the reception which followed.

The bride chose a pearl grey gaberdine suit with fashionable beaded jacket. Her accessories were black and she carried a single orchid on a white bible. Her maid of honor, Floriene Sibert, wore a two piece gray dress of street length. She chose fuchsia accessories and a corsage of American Beauty Roses.

The bride was given in marriage by her brother, Orville Eastman. Gene Awtery served as best man.

Mrs. Frank M. Bowden, sister of Miss Eastman, presented a vocal solo, "Because." "I Love You Truly," was sung by Mrs. C. E. Anderson. Louis Muckelroy, pianist, was accompanist.

Following the wedding ceremony, a reception was held in the basement of the First Christian Church. Out of town visitors at the wedding and reception included Miss Eastman's sister, Mrs. Frank Bowden of Denver, Colorado, Mrs. Ette Mae Massey of Rosenberg, Texas, who is an aunt of the bride and Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Hogue of Dallas, parents of the groom.

Following the reception the couple left on a honeymoon.

The bride is a graduate of Stratford High School and attended West Texas State College in Canyon, where she was a member of the Kappa Tau Phi sorority. She has lived with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. Gilbert Eastman, in Tucumcari for the past year.

The groom, Bill Hogue, is a native of Dallas, Texas, attended Arkansas University and East Texas State Teachers College, following his graduation from high school. He was a member of the Flars, a fraternity at East Texas Teachers College. He is employed with the New Mexico Furniture Company in Tucumcari.

Amarillo Couple Married Here Sunday

Mrs. Mary Latham and Harry W. Reynolds, Amarillo, were married in a ceremony at the home of the groom's sister, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Dortch, at 12:30 P. M. Sunday.

Rev. John Reaves read the nuptial vows.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Reynolds of Amarillo, parents of the groom, were present for the wedding.

The bride wore a purple dress with gold accessories. Her corsage was of pink and white carnations.

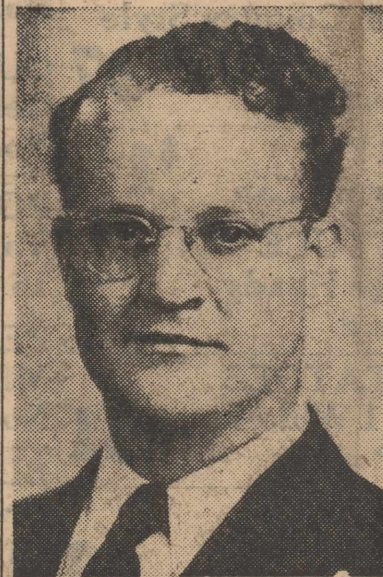
Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds will make their home in Amarillo where both are employed.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to each and everyone who helped in anyway to make our Dad and Grand dad's life more pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Thompson and Family.
Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Henderson and Family.
Mr. and Mrs. Theo Thompson and Family.

Church of Christ Revival Begins Monday



Harley H. Stone

A revival meeting will open at the Church of Christ Monday of next week and continue through August 29. Harley H. Stone, Alabama evangelist, will deliver the messages daily except Saturday at 10:00 A. M. and 8:00 P. M.

A cordial invitation is extended to the general public to attend the services.

Buses To Stop On 3rd Street

Buses are being prohibited from stopping on Main Street in Stratford. A reserved bus stop is being placed on Third Street at the intersection with Main Street. No cars or trucks will be allowed to park in this space.

The City Council announces the change as a safety measure and to prevent the closing-in of cars along the curb where the bus had been stopping on Main Street.

The bus depot will continue to remain at the Yates Drug.

Services At Keyes For Mrs. Gray

Funeral services for Mrs. Gray, 83-year old mother of Mrs. B. J. Wiggins, were held in Keyes, Oklahoma Sunday. Mrs. Gray, a former Stratford resident, passed away at the home of her daughter in San Antonio, Texas.

Friends from here attending the services were E. J. Massie, Mrs. E. J. Massie, Sr., Mrs. Marguerite Wilson and John Marvin, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Harrison, W. T. Martin and Arthur Ross.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank the friends who gave me their support in the recent primary election. My slowness in expressing my appreciation has been due to sickness in the family and does not reflect any lack of appreciation on my part for the favors shown me.

E. E. HAMILTON.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means of expressing our appreciation for the kindnesses and thoughtfulness of friends during the illness and passing of our husband and father, W. D. Ellis. Also, we wish to thank you for the lovely flowers, the food, cards, and so many other expressions of sympathy. May God bless each and everyone of you.

Mrs. W. D. ELLIS,
And Family.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere appreciation of the many thoughtful deeds of kindness through which our friends remembered us during our hour of sorrow at the passing of our father.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Burgess.

Before the establishment of standard time on November 18, 1883, American railroads were using about 100 different standards of time.

Farmers Expected To Maintain Conservation

Farmers of Sherman County should understand that, when they carry out conservation practices under the Agricultural Conservation Program, they are expected to maintain, or keep up, these practices. This is part of the responsibility accepted when assistance is received to help carry out the practice.

In explaining this provision of the ACP, R. C. Buckles, Chairman of the County Agricultural Conservation Committee, said that sometimes farmers get the idea that, after the work is done one year and the payment received, there is no further responsibility.

Mr. Buckles pointed out that under the provisions of the program, the county committee finds that any conservation practice carried out under a previous year's program has not been maintained in accordance with good farming practices, or if its effectiveness has been destroyed by neglect or failure to keep up the practice, deductions may be made from the current year's assistance earned under the program.

The purpose of the Agricultural Conservation Program is to conserve soil and water and not to make payments to farmers, the county committeeman emphatically stated. And while all farmers have a responsibility to the Nation to conserve their farm land, farmers cooperating in the ACP have the additional responsibility of safe guarding the investment the Nation has made in conservation through the program assistance.

The Community Committee of Sherman County will begin their work of spot checking practices carried out in 1948 in the next few days. Make it possible that they will not have to set up the deductions on your payment.

Children Are Ill

Several cases of sickness have been reported among the younger generation this week but none of the cases are considered serious.

Cynthia Reed, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Reed, has been ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Graydon Gamble's daughter, Yvonne, has been on the sick list.

The baby of Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Bremer, who reside in the East part of the county, has been ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Burkham's baby has been on the sick list.

Honored On Birthday

Mrs. H. J. Cooper honored her daughter, Mrs. D. B. Kendall, Dalhart, with a birthday dinner Sunday. Guests present were Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Yates, Miss Evelyn Cooper, and D. B. Kendall.

Varnell-Jones Wedding Saturday

Miss Marie Varnell and H. E. Jones, Sunray, secured their marriage license and were married in the parsonage of the Methodist Church Saturday by Rev. H. A. Nichols.

Want To Be The Mayor Of Your Own Town? Here's Your Chance

KNOXVILLE, TENN.—The Tennessee Valley authority board of directors authorized the sale of Norris, Tenn., and three Wilson dam villages at Muscle Shoals, Ala.

Present residents of Norris would be permitted to remain for one year as tenants of the new owner.

Forestry properties, the TVA hydroelectric laboratory, bureau of mines properties, and electrical utilities, are excluded from the proposed sale. Electrical utilities subsequently would be offered for sale to a Norris municipal power board for incorporation in a nearby publicly owned distribution system.

Wilson villages will be offered for sale in multiple units at public auction, also subject to a year's permitted occupancy by present residents.

Gypsies came originally from India, not Egypt.

Last Rites Thursday For C. R. Bomer

Last rites for C. R. Bomer, well known Stratford resident, were conducted at the First Christian Church Thursday afternoon. Mr. Bomer succumbed to a short illness in Northwest Texas Hospital Monday morning.

Coming to Sherman County in 1923, he engaged in drilling water wells for a number of years, and later founded the Bomer Machine Shop which he continued to operate until the time of his death.

Of a retiring nature, Mr. Bomer took little part in public life, but devoted his time to his business and confined his social life mostly to the work of his church.

Charles Rupert Bomer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Bomer, was born October 9, 1876 at Carson, Iowa, and departed this life August 9, 1948, at the age of 71 years and 10 months.

At the age of 23 he united with the First Christian Church and has been a faithful follower since.

September 26, 1900, he was united in marriage with Miss Ora Alice Hamilton. They made their home in Iowa until 1923 when they moved to Sherman County and since that time have lived in Stratford.

He leaves to mourn his departure, his wife, Ora, his daughter, Mrs. C. W. Cowdrey, three sisters, four brothers, four grandchildren, three great grandchildren, other relatives and a host of friends. Two brothers and one sister preceded him in death.

Interment was made in the Stratford cemetery under the supervision of Wilson Funeral Directors.

Entertain With Open House

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Allen entertained with open house Friday in their lovely new home on Main Street. Seventy-five guests were greeted by Mrs. B. P. Simons and Mrs. G. L. Taylor, who showed them through the beautifully decorated rooms.

Mrs. Allen presided at the guest book.

Punch and cookies were served by Mrs. M. H. Harrison and Mrs. George Allen.

Out of town guests were Mrs. J. P. Powell, K. L. Powell and Mrs. Lida Barrett of Dalhart, Mrs. J. T. Lenoir, Pratt, Kansas, and Mrs. B. P. Simons and children, Canyon.

Attended Funeral In Dalhart For Mrs. Walker

Mrs. F. L. Yates and Mrs. W. O. Bryant attended the funeral of Mrs. Clara Jean Walker in Dalhart Sunday. Graveside services were conducted by members of the Eastern Star.

Mrs. Walker was fatally injured Thursday morning of last week when the car which she was driving plunged into the ravine of the Coldwater draw on U. S. Highway 54.

Tracks showed the car slowly veered from the road, plunged 54 feet across the ravine on the East side of the bridge, and struck a concrete abutment about 20 feet from where the car landed on all four wheels.

Stratford Bows In Defeat

Stratford's baseball team lost their second game in succession Sunday when they lost to the Dalhart club with a score of 4 to 0.

Former victories had placed the club well up in the winning bracket. It will be necessary for them to win most of the remaining games in order to be eligible to play in the league play-off.

Stratford will play at Dumas Sunday.

Assisting In Polio Clinic

Mrs. Tom Hannicutt and Mrs. Virgil Chisum, registered nurses, are working at the Polio Clinic in Plainview to assist during the shortage of nurses until Red Cross nurses arrive.

L. R. Terrell Passes On At Plainview

Le Roy Terrell, father of Mrs. W. J. Thompson, passed away at the home of his grandson in Plainview, Texas, July 30. Burial was made at Bellevue, Texas.

Le Roy Terrell was born December 22, 1852, in Mississippi, reared in Lamar County, Texas, and married to Emma Derrick. To this union was born five children, 3 sons and 2 daughters, Lawson Terrell, Portales, New Mexico, Brooks Terrell, Yarnell, Arizona, Mrs. Genoa Dashier, Clarendon, Texas, and Mrs. Amie Thompson, now of Cheyenne, Wyoming, and an infant who preceded him in death. He has 17 grandchildren, 25 great grandchildren and two great great grandchildren.

He had never been united with any church, but all through life he had at times said he was living an honest and straight life and was ready to go when the call came. Two months ago he talked with his grandson, Ivan, with whom he had made his home for the past two years. During their conversation he said he had made things straight with his Master as he knew his days were few and that he did not want to worry or inconvenience anyone the remainder of his days.

Friday noon, July 30, he began to weaken, but refused a doctor's aid as he said he wasn't sick, but was tired and it was his time to go. He lay down on his bed, turned on his side and fell in a deep and lasting sleep.

Stratford Is A Clean Territory

Cooperating with an order of the City Council declaring Wednesday as clean-up day, Stratford took on a greatly improved appearance.

Not only has the appearance of the city changed but the possibility of an epidemic of disease caused by carrier living in filth has at least for the present been overcome.

Although it is too early to declare as to whether or not there were dissenting citizens, the general appearance of the city indicates that at least a large majority of the citizenry cooperated whole heartedly with the clean-up day spirit.

New Arrival

Dr. and Mrs. Huston Pearson are the parents of a 7 pound daughter, Nelda Shirlene, born July 30th at 6:20 P. M. in the hospital at Perryton.

Church News

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Howard Whately, Pastor

Sunday
Sunday School 10:00 A. M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A. M.
Training Union 7:00 P. M.
Evening Worship Services 8:00 P. M.
W. M. U. Wednesday 2:00 P. M.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Bible classes 10:00 A. M.
Morning services 11:00 A. M.
Evening services 7:30 P. M.
Wednesday evening services 7:30 P. M.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
Sunday School 10:00 A. M.
Morning worship 11:00 A. M.
Evangelistic service 8:00 P. M.
Bible study and prayer meeting Thursday evening at 8:00 P. M.
Everyone is invited to attend these services.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Sunday School 10:00 A. M.
Morning Services 11:00 A. M.
Evening Service 8:00 P. M.
A nursery under competent supervision provides care for infants during church services.
Rev. John W. Reaves, Pastor.

METHODIST CHURCH
(Rev. H. A. Nichols, Pastor).
Sunday School 10:00 A. M.
Morning services 11:00 A. M.
Evening Worship services 7:30 P. M.
Junior League 6:30 P. M.
Intermediate MYF 6:30 P. M.
Senior MYF 6:30 P. M.
W. S. C. S. Wednesday at 2:30 P. M.
Choir practice Wednesday night at 7:30.
Thursday night is Intermediate play night from 7:00 to 8:00 P. M.

Legion Airls

(By Earl Bond)
I don't believe it, but the town

is actually getting cleaned up. Unfortunately it took a polio epidemic and threat of heavy fine to get the job done, which

puts us all in the class with children. A child will behave if he knows he is going to catch Holy something or other if he doesn't. But regardless of how it was accomplished, let's keep it clean now that we all have an even start.

Greetings to friend Virgil Plunk down in Arkansas. I received your message and kind words, and promise not to miss any more columns than I can help, but occasionally this thing simply won't write itself, and automatic typewriters are still not available to the general public. As for writing more about Gene Hudson, that isn't necessary because he is still doing exactly what he was doing when you left here, and if he ever changes, I'll sure let you know.

We had a pretty fair turnout at the last meeting, considering the time of year, let's keep it up. Better yet, let's improve it. We can have some fine meetings if everyone will come for a few times. In fact we are having a good meeting the first meeting in September. On that night we will install officers at a banquet in the Legion Hall. Yes, I mean a real banquet, with tight shoes and all the trimmings. We are trying to get District Commander Gibson here for that night, but can't promise for sure on that yet, but we will have some good out of town talent here for the occasion. There will be a program during the banquet, and installation of officers immediately following. After that you are on your own. There will be game tables for those who care for that, and music for those who would like to dance. Admission will be a dollar per plate, and we are expecting all Legionnaires to be present for the most festive occasion we have yet had. We can have more such occasions if you are interested.

I thought sure I was going to get to take it easy this year, but Commander McIntosh has appointed

Food Specials FOR THE WEEK-END

FRYERS		APPLE BUTTER	
Home Dressed \$1.25		Brimfull	22
Each		28 Oz. Jar	
CHUCK ROAST	51	GRAPEFRUIT	
Pound		JUICE	
SAUSAGE		Hearts Delight	8
Fresh Country Style		No. 2 Can	
Pound	37	CUT BEETS	
SPRY	\$1.31	Del Haven	11
3 Pound Can		No. 2 Can	
LETTUCE		PORK & BEANS	
Large Heads	9	Van Camps	27
Pound		16 Oz. Can; 2 For	
POTATOES		PEAS	
No. 1 Whites	51	Mile High	25
10 Pounds		No. 2 Can; 2 for	
COFFEE		BLACKEYED PEAS	
Red & White	49	Brimfull	13
Pound		16 Oz. Can	
PINTO BEANS	25	APRICOTS	
2 Pounds		Brimfull	29
		No. 2 1/2 Can	

Richard's Cash Grocery

me adjutant, just to make sure I don't do too much loafing. I am going to have a hard time shirking my duties since I am just across the street from him. I did many a job for Ernest Goule this year because it was often easier to do it than hunt him, but I will be awfully easy to find, especially since I don't have a back door.

We have procured a couple of large air conditioners for the dance Saturday night, and the atmosphere should not be so heavy as it was the last time. Doug Cornwall and his band of Clayton will furnish the music, and from all reports he has a good band. He played at the VFW hall at the XII celebration, so perhaps some of you are familiar with his band. Let's all turn out and have a big time Saturday night.

We are in need of a record player. We are not begging, but if someone has one lying around the basement that you aren't using, and is in good shape with plenty of volume we would sure appreciate having it. We also need a piano. I have indirect reports of a good piano or two that we might have, but no one has come to me with the offer, so if you are one of those who have contemplated giving us a piano, please let me know, because I

would hate to get a wrong report and go ask about the piano they were going to give us, and find that they didn't have an intention of giving us one. If you have a piano not in use, we could sure put it to good usage.

In a report to the directors of the Farm Bureau Monday afternoon, Sam Wohlford stated that a monkey wrench of considerable size had been tossed into the ma-

Tried For Treason



LOS ANGELES, CAL.—(Sound-photo) — With lowered head, Tomoya "Meatball" Kawakita enters federal courtroom here, where selection of a jury to try him on treason charges takes place. The California-born Japanese is accused of "giving aid and comfort" to Japan during the war, and of many acts of brutality against American prisoners in a camp at a Jap nickel mine where he was interpreter and foreman. The handcuffed prisoner claimed that he was a Japanese citizen, not American, and therefore cannot be charged with treason. It is believed to be the first treason trial in western history.

Roxy Theatre

STRATFORD, TEXAS
August 12 and 13
Robert Taylor, Audrey Totter and Herbert Marshall in
High Wall
August 14
Paul Campbell and Ruth Terry in
Smoky River Serenade
OWL SHOW
Best Man Wins
August 15 and 16
Cooper and Goddard in
Cecil B. De Mille's
Unconquered
August 17 and 18
Fiesta
with Esther Williams
plus second feature
Echo Ranch

chinery of the REA in this four-county district. Mr. Wohlford recently returned from Washington where he went in an effort to straighten things out, but he found that they were already straightened out, at least to their satisfaction, and our satisfaction didn't amount to much. In a nutshell, we have all the REA lines we are going to get without an awful lot of rumpus and no surety that that would help.

It appeared to Mr. Wohlford that it was all framed from the beginning, and from the basis of the government reports in Washington it would be impractical to

build any more lines in this district. A survey was made by the government to determine the need for a line here, and on the basis of their report there would be very little demand for the services. But the joker lay in the fact that in most cases the one who made the survey picked the poorest farms in the county or went out and interviewed a plowhand, a cowpuncher, or some laborer who was in no position to put in electricity and often didn't care whether anyone had it or not. The questionnaire was so technical that few could give any

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Legion Aids

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sort of correct estimate of their

electricity needs, and consequently a very unfavorable report lies in Washington today, and it will take a lot of work to

Building Materials

Screen Doors	Roll Roofing
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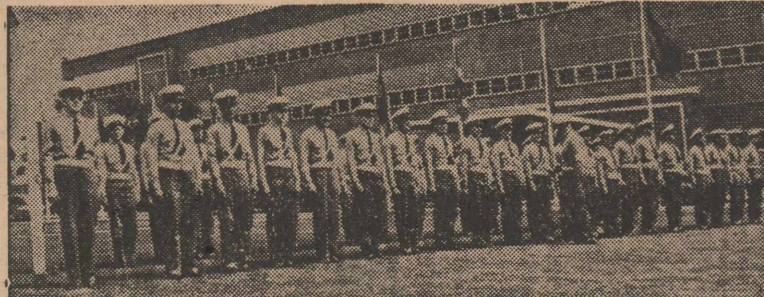
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the flowers, which are set between leaves and stem, close to the ground. The male plant has a seed stalk four to six inches high.

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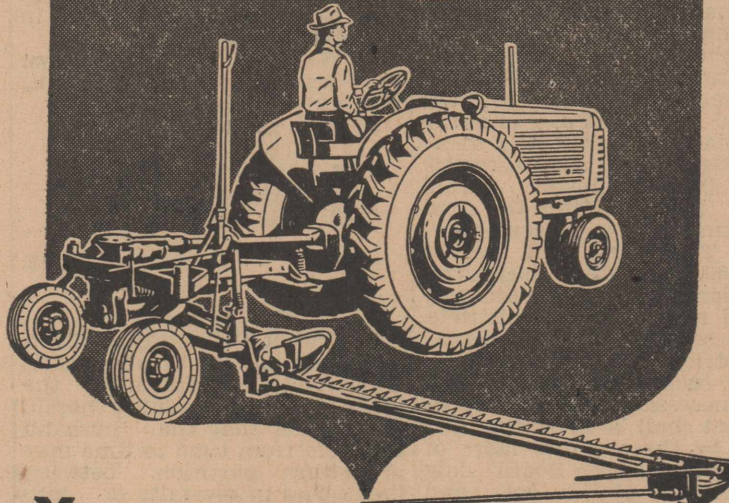
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H. J. R. No. 24
HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION proposing an Amendment of Section 1-a of Article VIII of the Constitution of Texas to provide that no ad valorem tax shall be levied for State general revenue purposes after January 1, 1951, and authorizing the several counties to levy additional ad valorem taxes for certain purposes, providing for a Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000) residential homestead exemption, and providing for tax levies in counties having tax donations;

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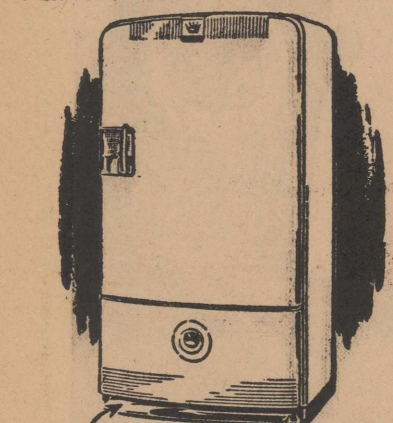
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BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 1-a of Article VIII of the Constitution be amended so as to be and read as follows:

"Section 1-a. From and after January 1, 1951, no State ad valorem tax shall be levied upon any property within this State for general revenue purposes. From and after January 1, 1951, the several counties of the State are authorized to levy ad valorem taxes upon all property within their respective boundaries for county purposes, except the first Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000) value of residential homesteads, not to exceed thirty cents (30c) on each One Hundred Dollars (\$100) valuation, in addition to all other ad valorem taxes authorized by the Constitution of this State, provided the revenue derived therefrom shall be used for construction and maintenance of Farm to Market Roads or for Flood Control, except as herein otherwise provided.

"Provided that in those counties or political subdivisions or areas of the State from which tax donations have heretofore been granted, the State Automatic Tax Board shall continue to levy the full amount of the State ad valorem tax for the duration of such donation, or until all legal obligations heretofore authorized by the law granting such donation or donations shall have been fully discharged, whichever shall first occur; provided that if such donation to any such county or political subdivision is for less than the full amount of State ad valorem taxes so levied, the portion of such taxes remaining over and above such donation shall be retained by said county or subdivision."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on the date fixed by law for the General Election in November, A. D. 1948, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon "FOR the Constitutional Amendment of Section 1-a of Article VIII of the Constitution of the State of Texas to provide that no ad valorem tax shall be levied for State general revenue purposes after January 1, 1951, and authorizing the several counties to levy additional ad valorem taxes, providing for a Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000) residential homestead exemption, and providing for tax levies in counties having tax donations," and "AGAINST the Constitutional Amendment of Section 1-a of Article VIII of the Constitution of the State of Texas to provide that no ad valorem tax shall be levied for State general revenue purposes after January 1, 1951, and authorizing the several counties to levy additional ad valorem taxes, providing for a Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000) residential homestead exemption, and providing for tax levies in counties having tax donations." Each voter shall scratch out one of said clauses on the ballot, leaving the one expressing his vote on the proposed Amendment. In counties or other subdivisions using voting machines, the above provisions for voting for and against this Constitutional Amendment shall be placed on said machine in such a manner that each voter shall vote on such machine for or against the Constitutional Amendment.

Sec. 3. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and Laws of this State.

H. J. R. No. 36

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION proposing an Amendment to Section 61, Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas so as to provide that all sheriffs, deputy sheriffs, county law enforcement officers including sheriffs who also perform the duties of assessor and collector of taxes, and their deputies, constables, deputy constables, and precinct law enforcement officers shall be compensated on a salary basis in all of the counties in this State beginning January 1, 1949; providing for submission of this Amendment to the vote of the people of Texas; providing the time, means and manner thereof.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 61, Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to read as follows: "Section 61. All district officers in the State of Texas and all county officers in counties having a population of twenty thousand (20,000) or more, according to the then last preceding Federal Census, shall be compensated on a salary basis. In all counties in this State, the Commissioners Courts shall be authorized to determine whether precinct officers shall be compensated on a fee basis or on a salary basis, with the exception that it shall be mandatory upon the Commissioners Courts to compensate all constables, deputy constables and precinct law enforcement officers on a salary basis beginning January 1, 1949; and in counties having a population of less than twenty thousand (20,000), according to the then last preceding Federal Census, the Commissioners Courts shall also have the authority to determine whether county officers shall be compensated on a fee basis or on a salary basis, with the exception that it shall be mandatory upon the Commis-

sioners Courts to compensate all sheriffs, deputy sheriffs, county law enforcement officers including sheriffs who also perform the duties of assessor and collector of taxes, and their deputies, on a salary basis beginning January 1, 1949.

"All fees earned by district, county and precinct officers shall be paid into the county treasury where earned by the account of the proper fund, provided that fees incurred by the State, county and any municipality, or in case where a pauper's oath is filed, shall be paid into the county treasury when collected and provided that where any officer is compensated wholly on a fee basis such fees may be retained by such officer or paid into the treasury of the county as the Commissioners Court may direct. All Notaries Public, county surveyors and public weighers shall continue to be compensated on a fee basis."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on the date fixed by law for the General Election in November, A. D. 1948, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon:

"FOR the Constitutional Amendment of Section 61, Article XVI of the Texas Constitution providing that all sheriffs, deputy sheriffs, constables, deputy constables and other law enforcement officers shall be compensated on a salary basis"; and "AGAINST the Constitutional Amendment of Section 61, Article XVI of the Texas Constitution providing that all sheriffs, deputy sheriffs, constables, deputy constables and other law enforcement officers shall be compensated on a salary basis."

Each voter shall scratch out one of said clauses on the ballot, leaving the one expressing his vote on the proposed Amendment. In counties or other subdivisions using voting machines, the above provision for voting for and against this Constitutional Amendment shall be placed on said machine and each voter shall vote on such machine for or against the Constitutional Amendment.

Sec. 3. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and Laws of this State.

S. J. R. No. 2

A JOINT RESOLUTION proposing an amendment to Section 28 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas, so as to provide for a Board for apportioning the state into senatorial districts and representative districts in the event the Legislature fails to make such apportionment; providing for the issuance of the necessary proclamation by the Governor; and making an appropriation.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 28 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as hereafter to read as follows:

"Section 28. The Legislature shall, at its first regular session after the publication of each United States decennial census, apportion the state into senatorial and representative districts, agreeable to the provisions of Sections 25, 26, and 28, of this Article. In the event the Legislature shall at any such first regular session following the publication of a United States decennial census, fail to make such apportionment, same shall be done by the Legislative Redistricting Board of Texas, which is hereby created, and shall be composed of five (5) members, as follows: The Lieutenant Governor, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, the Attorney General, the Comptroller of Public Accounts and the Commissioner of the General Land Office, a majority of whom shall constitute a quorum. Said Board shall assemble in the City of Austin within ninety (90) days after the final adjournment of such regular session. The Board shall, within sixty (60) days after assembling, apportion the state into senatorial and representative districts, or into senatorial or representative districts, as the failure of action of such Legislature may make necessary. Such apportionment shall be in writing and signed by three (3) or more of the members of the Board duly acknowledged as the act and deed of such Board, and, when so executed and filed with the Secretary of State, shall have force and effect of law. Such apportionment shall become effective at the next succeeding statewide general election. The Supreme Court of Texas shall have jurisdiction to compel such Commissioners to perform their duties in accordance with the provisions of this section by writ of mandamus or other extra-ordinary writs conformable to the usages of law. The Legislature shall provide necessary funds for clerical and technical aid and for other expenses incidental to the work of the Board, and the Lieutenant Governor and the Speaker of the House of Representatives shall be entitled to receive per diem and travel expense during the Board's session in the same manner and amount as they would receive while attending a special session of the Legislature. This amendment shall become effective January 1, 1951."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held throughout the state on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, A. D. 1948, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon:

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"Against the amendment to Section 28, Article III of the Constitution of Texas providing for a Board for apportionment of the state into senatorial districts and representative districts in the event the Legislature fails to make such apportionment."

Each voter at such election shall mark out one of such clauses on the ballot, leaving the one expressing his vote on the proposed amendment.

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election, and shall have the same published as required by the Constitution and Laws of this state.

Sec. 4. The sum of Ten Thousand (\$10,000.00) Dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the treasury of this state not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expenses of such publication and election.

ROAD NOTICE TO LAND OWNER

In the matter of the Petition of Frank Blanks and others for a Public Road in the County of Sherman:

THE STATE OF TEXAS
To Mr. G. P. Gibner, Mrs. Pauline Lewis, E. B. Roberts, D. D. Wray, Will Vandef Ploeg,

TAKE NOTICE, that the undersigned Jury, appointed by the Commissioners' Court of Sherman County, Texas, to lay out and survey a Public Road, as petitioned for by Frank Blanks and others, beginning at the intersection of the County Road running east and west with the Section line between Sections 8 and 9 in Block 3-T, and running 2 miles south and 3 miles west to the intersection of the Texhoma-Sunray road with the section line between Sections 25 and 36, same block and county, and to assess the damages resulting from the establishment of said road, will on the 16th day of August 1948, in discharge of our said duty, meet upon the following premises, to which you have some claim or title, to-wit:

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W/2 of Section No. 9, Block 3-T, T. & N. O. Ry. Co. Survey,

Section 37, Block 3-T, T. & N. O. Ry. Co. Survey,

Section 23, Block 3-T, T. & N. O. Ry. Co. Survey, and will then and there proceed to assess any damages to which you may be entitled on account of the laying out of said Public Road, and you are hereby requested and required to produce to us a statement in writing of the damages, if any claimed by you and all evidences which you may desire to offer in relation to such damages, and do and perform such other acts as may be necessary and lawful in the premises.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands this 20th day of July 1948.

W. A. SPURLOCK,
J. G. CRAIG,
LUTHER STAVLO,
LUTHER BROWDER,
GUY R. SWENY,
Jurors.
7—22, 29; 8—5, 12.

H. J. R. No. 13

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION amending Section 15 of Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas, by adding thereto a provision that the husband and wife from time to time may in writing partition between themselves in severalty or into undivided interests all or any part of their community property, whereupon without prejudice to the right of existing creditors the portion or interest set aside to each spouse shall be and constitute a part of the separate property of such spouse; further providing that such Constitutional Amendment if adopted shall be self-operative and self-executing; providing for the submission of this Amendment to the voters of this State; prescribing the form of ballot; providing for the proclamation and publication thereof.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 15 of Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to read as follows:

"Section 15. All property, both real and personal of the wife owned or claimed by her before marriage, and that acquired afterward by gift, devise or descent, shall be the separate property of the wife; and laws shall be passed more clearly defining the rights of the wife, in relation as well to her separate property as that held in common with her husband; provided that husband and wife, without prejudice to pre-existing creditors, may from

time to time by written instrument as if the wife were a feme sole partition between themselves in severalty or into equal undivided interests all or any part of their existing community property, or exchange between themselves the community interest of one spouse in any property for the community interest of the other spouse in other community property, whereupon the portion or interest set aside to each spouse shall be and constitute a part of the separate property of such spouse.

This Amendment is self-operative, but laws may be passed prescribing requirements as to the form and manner of execution of such instruments, and providing for their recordation, and for such other reasonable requirements not inconsistent herewith as the Legislature may from time to time consider proper with relation to the subject of this Amendment. Should the Legislature pass an Act dealing with the subject of this Amendment and prescribing requirements as to the form and manner of the execution of such instruments and providing for their recordation and other reasonable requirements not inconsistent herewith and anticipatory hereto, such Act shall not be invalid by reason of its anticipatory character and shall take effect just as though this Constitutional Amendment was in effect when the Act was passed."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the State of Texas at an election to be held throughout the State on the second day of November, 1948, at which election all voters favoring said proposed Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words:

"FOR the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas as providing that husband and wife from time to time may in writing partition between themselves in severalty or into undivided interests community property existing at the time of partition so as to convert same into separate property of the respective spouses without prejudice to the rights of pre-existing creditors."

Those opposing said proposed Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words:

"AGAINST the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas providing that husband and wife from time to time may in writing partition between themselves in severalty or into undivided interests community property existing at the time of partition so as to convert same into separate property of the respective spouses without prejudice to the rights of pre-existing creditors."

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have same published as required by the Constitution for amendments thereto.

H. J. R. No. 35

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION proposing an amendment to Article VIII of the Constitution of the State of Texas to provide that Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000) of the assessed taxable value of all residence homesteads as now defined by law shall be exempt from all taxation for all State purposes; providing the effective date; providing for the submission of said amendment to a vote of the qualified voters at an election and providing for necessary proclamation and publication.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Sections 1-b and 1-c be added to Article VIII of the Constitution of the State of Texas to read as follows:

"Section 1-b. Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000) of the assessed taxable value of all residence homesteads as now defined by law shall be exempt from all taxation for all State purposes.

"Section 1-c. Provided, however, the terms of this Resolution shall not be effective unless House Joint Resolution No. 24 is adopted by the people and in no event shall this Resolution go into effect until January 1, 1951."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on the date fixed by law for the General Election in November, A. D. 1948, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon the following words:

"FOR the Constitutional Amendment exempting Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000) of the assessed taxable value of all residence homesteads from all State taxes."

"AGAINST the Constitutional Amendment exempting Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000) of the assessed taxable value of all residence homesteads from all State taxes."

Each voter shall scratch out one of said clauses on the ballot, leaving the one expressing his vote on the proposed amendment. In counties and other subdivisions using voting machines, the above provisions for voting for and against this Constitutional Amendment shall be placed on said machine in such manner that each voter shall vote on such machine for or against the Constitutional Amendment.

Sec. 3. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation

for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and Laws of this State.

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way to Yellowstone Park, Canada, and down the Pacific coast.

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WANTED: Three women, steady work at THE Stratford Laundry. 43-tfc

FOR SALE: My residence in Stratford.— C. W. Cowdrey. 43tfc

FOR SALE: Bench saw and motor, mounted on 2-inch material.— Inquire at G & G Grocery. 45-tfc

FOR SALE: A good farm two miles off a paved highway on County Road near Kerrick, Texas in shallow water area. 1690 acres of good level sandy loam soil. 840 acres of which is in maize showing a good stand. Has averaged one million pounds yearly. Balance of land in excellent grass with grammas in predominance. Fenced and cross fenced with three shallow wells, two houses, one with butane and electricity. 1-2 minerals goes. \$42.00 per acre.— Fulton E. Thomas, Jr., Box 31, Dalhart, Texas. 44-2tc

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HERE'S THE REASON. The germ grows deeply. You must REACH it to KILL it. TE-OL, containing 90 percent alcohol. Penetrates. Reaches more germs. Your 35c back from any druggist if not pleased in ONE HOUR.

H. J. R. No. 39 HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION proposing an Amendment to Article 5 of the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding a new Section thereto to be known as Section 1-a, authorizing the Legislature to provide for the retirement and compensation of Judges and Commissioners of the Appellate Courts and Judges of District Courts on account of length of service, age or disability, and for their reassignment to active duty where and when needed; provid-

Harriman Says Buying of Bonds Now Is Plain Common Business Sense

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Secretary of Commerce, W. A. Harriman, today asked Americans to buy Savings Bonds now. He declared:

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ing for the submission of the Amendment to the voters of this State; and providing for the necessary proclamation and publication.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article 5 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto a new Section to be known as "Section 1-a", which shall read as follows:

"Section 1-a. The Legislature shall provide for the retirement and compensation of Judges and Commissioners of the Appellate Courts and Judges of the District and Criminal Courts on account of length of service, age or disability, and for their reassignment to active duty where and when needed."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the State of Texas at an election to be held on the second day of November, 1948, at which election all voters favoring such proposed Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words:

"FOR the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas authorizing the Legislature to provide for the retirement and compensation of Judges and Commissioners of the Appellate Courts and Judges of the District and Criminal District Courts of this State on account of length of service, age or disability and for their reassignment to active duty where and when needed."

Those voters opposing said Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words:

"AGAINST the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas authorizing the Legislature to provide for the retirement and compensation of Judges and Commissioners of the Appellate Courts and Judges of the District and Criminal District Courts of this State on account of length of service, age or disability and for their reassignment to active duty where and when needed."

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and existing laws of the State.

H. J. R. No. 7 HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION proposing an Amendment to Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Texas, by adding a new Section to be known as Section 3a, so as to provide for succession to the office of Governor in the event the Governor-elect dies, or becomes disabled, or fails to qualify, before taking his oath of office as Governor; and providing for the issuance of the necessary proclamation and publication by the Governor.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Texas, be and the same is hereby amended, by adding another Section to follow Section 3, and be designated Section 3a, to read as follows:

follows:

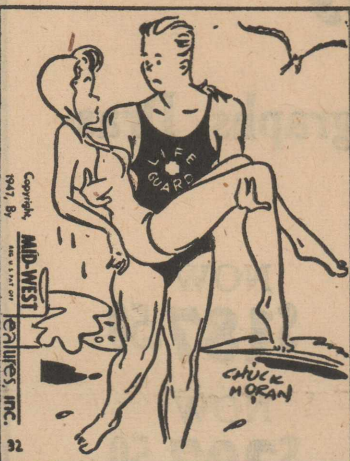
"Section 3a. If, at the time the Legislature shall canvass the election returns for the offices of Governor and Lieutenant Governor, the person receiving the highest number of votes for the office of Governor, as declared by the Speaker, has died, then the person having the highest number of votes for the office of Lieutenant Governor shall act as Governor until after the next general election. It is further provided that in the event the person with the highest number of votes for the office of Governor, as declared by the Speaker, shall become disabled, or fail to qualify, then the Lieutenant Governor shall act as Governor until a person has qualified for the office of Governor, or until after next general election. Any succession to the Governorship not otherwise provided for in this Constitution, may be provided for by law; provided, however, that any person succeeding to the office of Governor shall be qualified as otherwise provided in this Constitution, and shall, during the entire term to which he may succeed, be under all the restrictions and inhibitions imposed in this Constitution on the Governor."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified voters of this State at a General Election to be held throughout this State on the date provided by law in the month of November, A. D. 1948, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon:

"FOR the Constitutional Amendment providing for gubernatorial succession in the event the Governor-elect dies, or becomes disabled, before qualifying and for such succession in other contingencies."

"AGAINST the Constitutional

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Palace Cafe

RUSSELL BEALL, Proprietor

Amendment providing for gubernatorial succession in the event the Governor-elect dies, or becomes disabled, before qualifying and for such succession in other contingencies."

Each voter at such election shall mark out one of such clauses on the ballot, leaving the

clause expressing his vote on the proposed amendment.

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and shall have the same published as required by the Constitution and Laws of this State.

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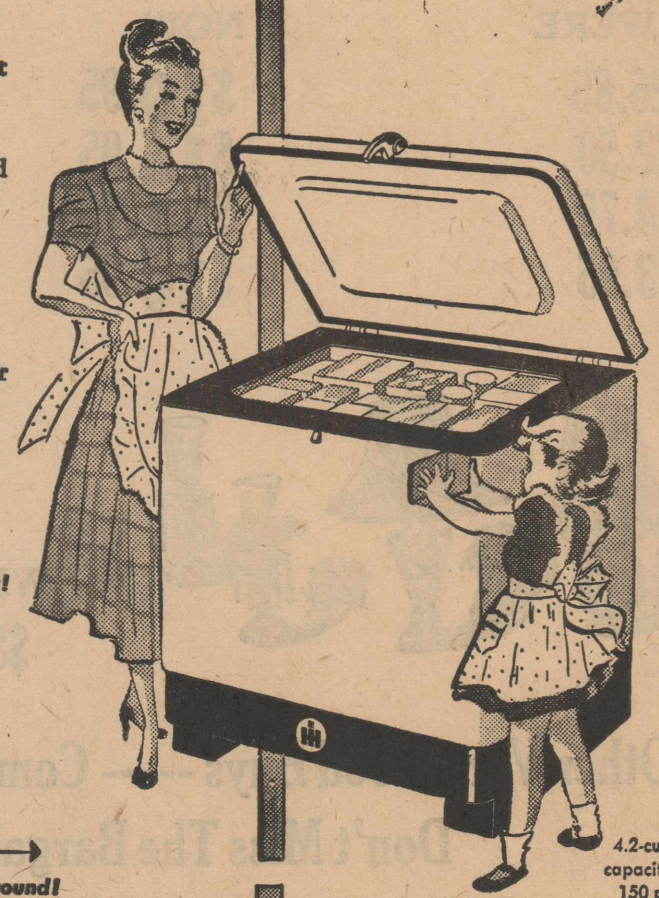
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Local News

Miss Amelia Ramon returned Monday from Denton where she attended the wedding of a friend.

Miss Dorothy Dixon, county home demonstration agent, returned Monday after a vacation in California.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Palmer returned Wednesday evening of last week from a vacation and visit with relatives in Yakima, Washington.

John Douglas Crider, Dodge City, Kansas, returned home Sunday after a visit with his cousin, John Marvin Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Dortch and daughter, Doris, were business visitors in Dalhart Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bammes and daughters returned Monday night from a vacation and visit with relatives in Manhattan, Kansas.

Mrs. J. T. Lenoir returned to



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her home in Pratt, Kansas Tuesday morning after a visit with Miss Josie Foxworth, and other relatives and friends.

Lamoine Palmer has accepted a position with the T. O. C. Motor Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rungee, Chicago, are guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Lowe.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Blackwell left Tuesday morning for a visit with relatives in Tennessee, and to bring home their daughter, Betty, who is visiting with her grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Thomas of Hereford, visited in the home of Rev. and Mrs. H. A. Nichols Sunday night. Rev. Nichols was pastor of the Thomas' nearly 20 years ago at Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. French are leaving this week for their home in Missouri after a visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Garson.

William Glenn and Howard Lynn Hart left Tuesday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Hart in Water Valley, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Holmes returned Sunday from a visit in Austin, Texas.

Mrs. A. N. Slay left Friday for California where she will visit in the home of her son.

Mrs. John Haney and Mrs. J. D. Huggins took Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Robbins to their home in Coleman, Texas Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Luther and children have returned from their vacation in St. Louis, Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Kelley returned Wednesday from Arkansas where they visited Mrs. Kelley's brother, Elmore Gladish, and family.

Reuben Baskin and children are vacationing in the mountains of Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Mullican and children have returned home after a visit with relatives at Hereford.

Dan Smith and children returned Sunday from a week's visit with relatives at Sayre, Oklahoma.

ORDINANCE 108 AMENDED

Be it ordered by the City Council in regular session on this the 26th day of June 1948 that ordinance No. 108 relating to building permits in certain parts of the City be amended to read as follows:

Section 2 requiring building permits is hereby ordered to be extended over the entire City limits, and all persons, owners, contractors, builders and etc. are hereby required to obtain a building permit from the City. The following information will be recorded in all permits. Location, Lot No., Block No., (Floor space), material to be used, number of rooms, estimated or contract price.

The above to apply also to buildings to be moved from one location to another within the City.

This amendment to be in effect on and after June 30, 1948, and does not cancel any part of Ordinance No. 108 but extends its requirements (except that part relating to the fire zone) to all parts of the City.

Be it ordered by the City Council in regular session on this the 26th day of June 1948 that chapter eleven (11) article 88 of the civil code be amended to read as follows:

That each and every business within the City that is carried on for profit shall pay to the City an occupation tax of \$5.00 per annum. The above to apply to firms, corporations, agents or individuals. Effective June 30, 1948.

VAN B. BOSTON,
Mayor of the City of Stratford.
(Seal) W. P. FOREMAN,
City Clerk.

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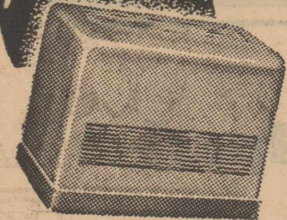
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Local News

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Sloan and children returned Friday from a

visit in Red River, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wickstrum are visiting relatives in Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wisdom and children are vacationing in Chicago this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Craig left Wednesday for the clinic in Rochester, Minnesota.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Ingham and son returned Sunday from a vacation in Denver, Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Chisum and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Blake and baby visited relatives in San Jon, New Mexico Sunday. They returned by Amarillo for a picnic in Ellwood Park with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Parker, Mrs. H. M. Parker, Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Beard, and Virgil Chisum. Mrs. T. J. Chisum returned with them from San Jon for a visit here.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Gryder, San Francisco, California, arrived Wednesday of last week for a visit in the homes of Mrs. W. D. Green and Mrs. Gryder.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Shirk left Saturday for Temple, Texas where Mrs. Shirk will receive a medical examination in the clinic.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Garrison, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. French and son, spent the week-end in Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Louie Green attended parents day in Canon City, Colorado where their son, Fred Lee, is in camp.

Mrs. C. H. Harrison, Mrs. Eve-

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Miss Gladys Broyles has returned to her work at the Handy Drive-In after a week's vacation at her mother's home near Daltart.

G. L. Taylor left Wednesday morning on a business trip to his Colorado ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Foreman and daughter, and Byron Fedric returned Friday from a visit with G. F. Fedric in Corona, California.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Palmer, Garden City, Kansas, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Palmer Sunday.

Mrs. Myrtle Arrowsmith left Tuesday for Altus, Oklahoma to attend the wedding of her granddaughter, Miss Joyce Corbin, who is to wed John Robert Reid.

Mr. and Mrs. Bradford Clay were visitors in Ulysses, Kansas recently.

Jerry Lancaster transacted business in Stratford Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Wilson of San Saba, Texas, have located at Brownwood, where they bought a home and filling station.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Reynolds and children returned Sunday from a visit to Conchas Dam.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Henderson of Army Tech Village, Amarillo, visited with Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Henderson and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Henderson and family Wednesday and Thursday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Truett Smith and children, Gordon and Carol, of Tahoka, visited Rev. and Mrs. H. A. Nichols Monday night. Mr. and Mrs. Smith were neighbors of the pastor and his wife at Tahoka. Mr. Smith was formerly district attorney of that district and practices law at Tahoka.

Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Simons and children, Canyon, spent the week-end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Allen.

Bill Garrison was a business visitor in Amarillo Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Taylor spent two days in Amarillo last week on business.

Ralph Dowd, Amarillo, was a visitor here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Gillis spent Sunday visiting in Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Clay and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Bradford Clay and children were visitors in Shamrock from Saturday until Tuesday.

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Brimfull Early June PEAS No. 2 Can 19¢

C. H. B. Diced CARROTS No. 2 Can 13¢

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White Swan TEA 4 Ounce Box 29¢

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said machine in such a manner that each voter may vote on such machine for or against the Constitutional Amendment. Sec. 3. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

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5 Gallon Drums Per Gallon \$8

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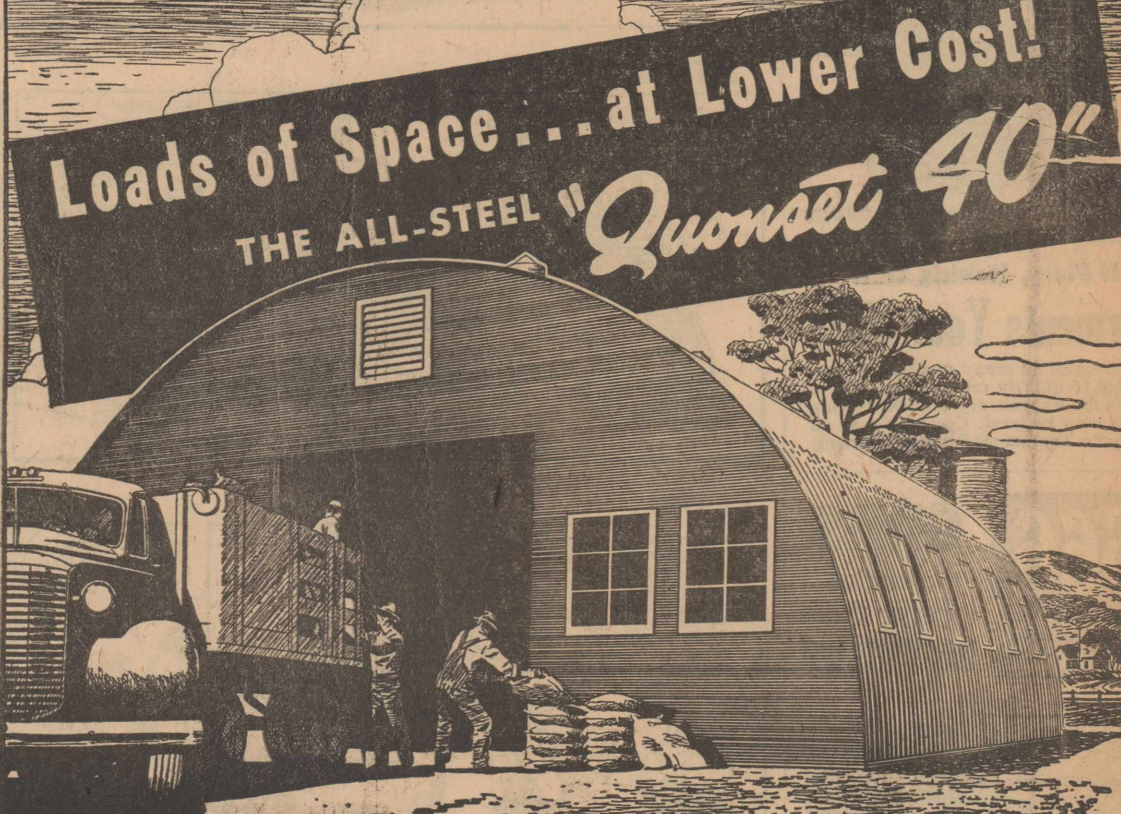
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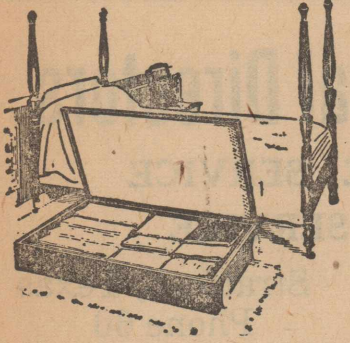
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One of the big features of this chest, beside ample storage facilities, is its utilization of unused space. Being suspended between large wooden wheels the chest can be rolled under the bed, even over rugs with very little effort. Its capacity is truly amazing. Being dustproof, it provides an excellent place to store your finest things.

Anyone can build the chest by following the full size pattern now available. It tells what materials are needed, shows location of bolt and screw holes and provides the simplest method of building. All the materials needed are now available at lumber yards everywhere.

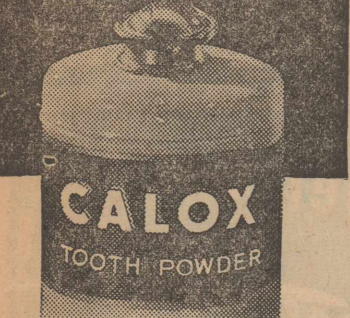
If you live in an apartment and hesitate to make this chest for fear of disturbing the neighbors, the chest can be built without driving a nail. A glue is now available that binds two pieces of wood together so thoroughly that the wood will break before the joint can be loosened.

A tip to those who plan on attending a wedding real soon—this chest makes an ideal wedding gift for the lucky bride and groom. Send 25c for Pattern No. 37 to East-Bird Pattern Company, Dept. W., Pleasantville, New York.



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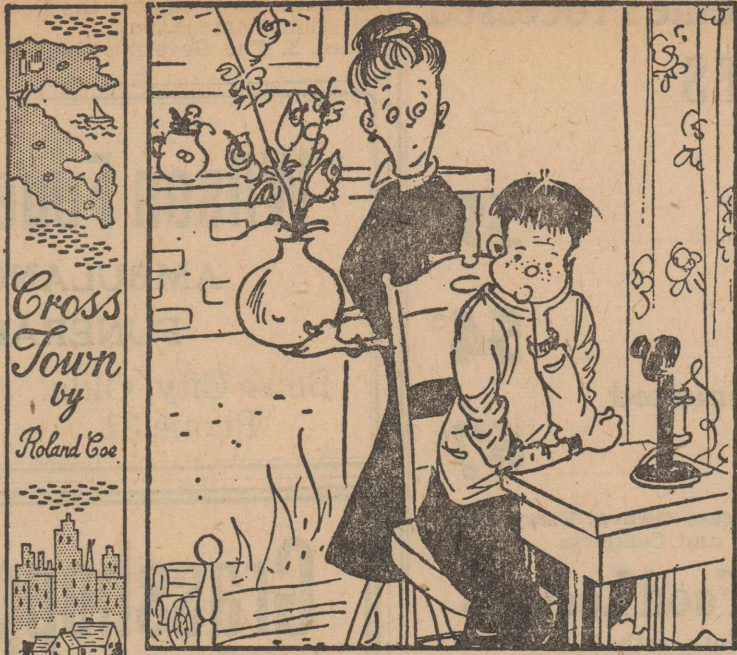
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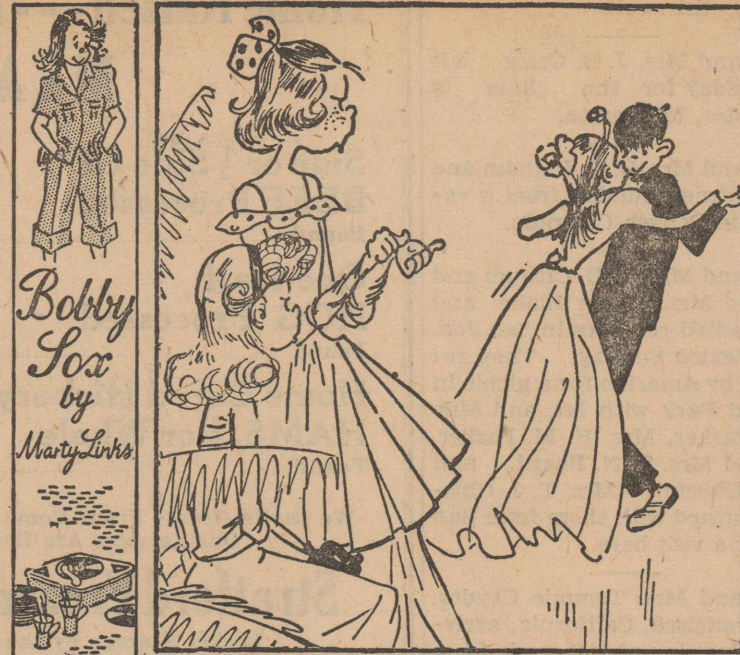


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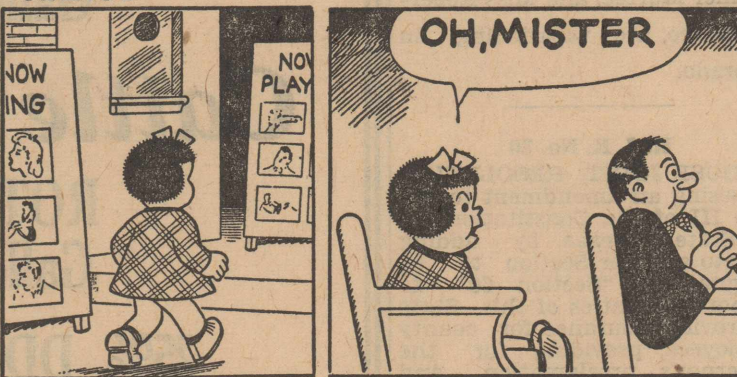


**"DO WOMEN GET ANY MORE
LOGICAL AS THEY GROW OLDER?"**



**"THEY SAY THERE'S A REASON
FOR EVERYTHING BUT I'M SURE
THAT DOESN'T INCLUDE DOROTHY!"**

NANCY



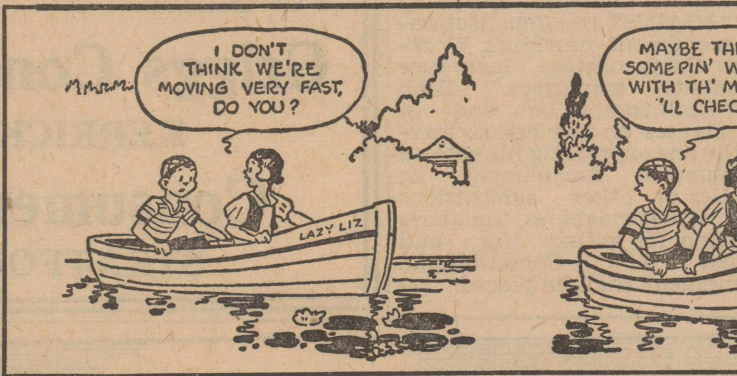
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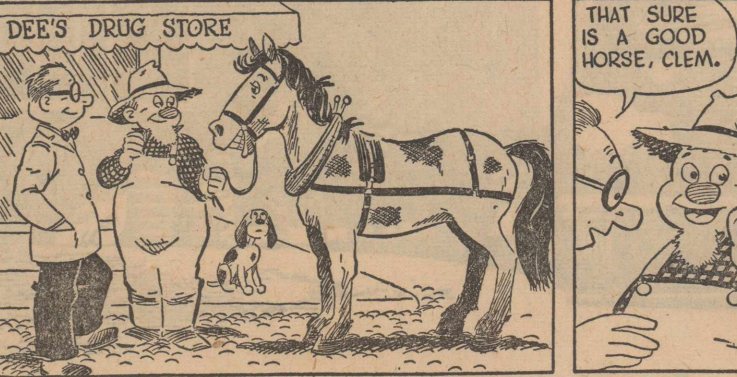
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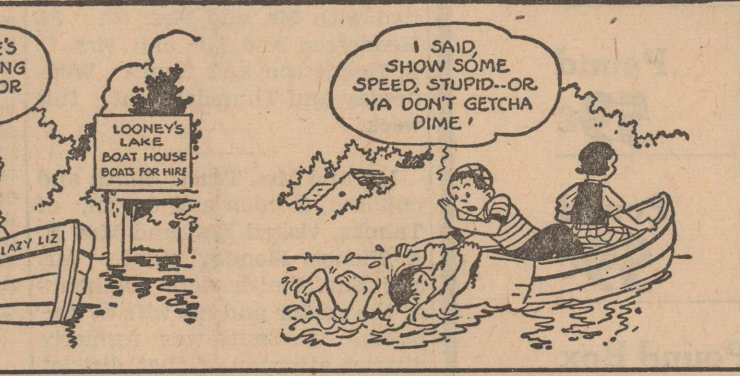
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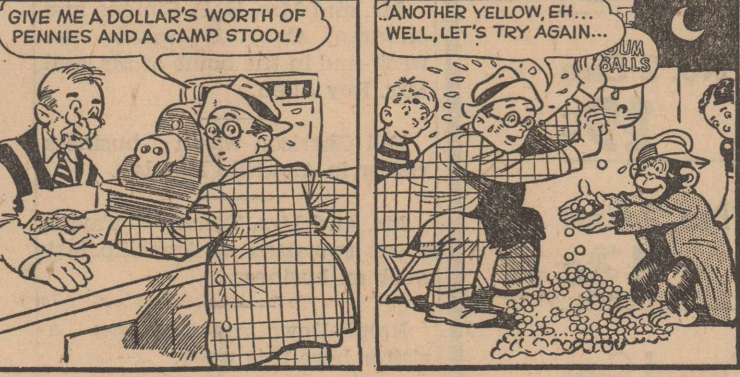
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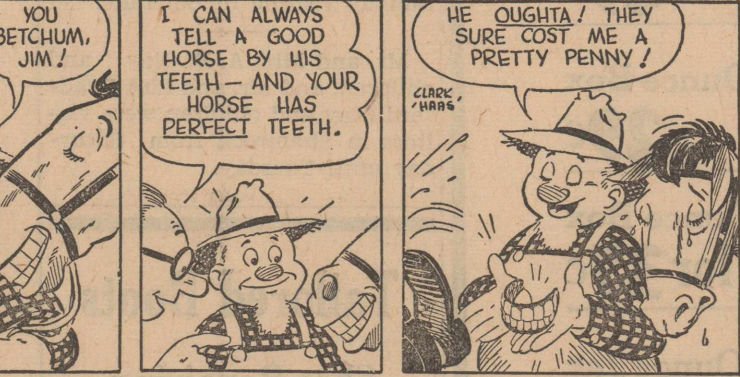
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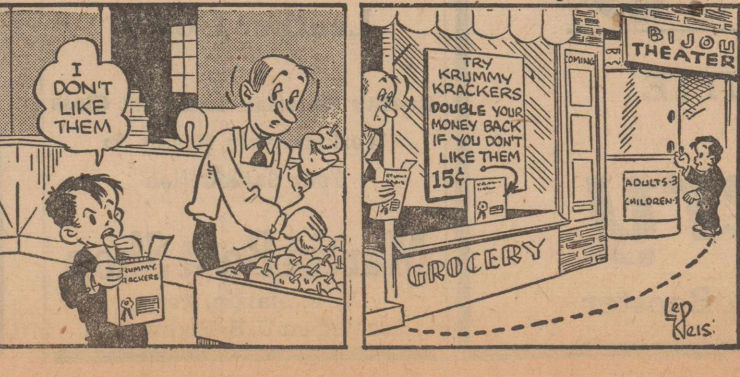
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Yale Canvasses Country For Col. Trumbull Canvases

A nation-wide hunt for the paintings of John Trumbull, visual recorder of the American Revolution, has been instituted by a Yale professor.

Theodore Sizer, professor of the history of art at Yale, issued the call for information about the Trumbull paintings in the "Yale University Library Gazette". The first such request for assistance was made by Professor Benjamin Siliman, 2d, in 1882 in the "American Art Review".

Sizer, working under a Guggenheim fellowship, is a noted authority on the "patriot-artist". He has compiled the first thorough check list of Trumbull's works, and the recent acquisition by the Yale library of Trumbull's notebook, containing a list of the artist's earlier works, has encouraged Sizer to seek elsewhere for further information.

Col. Trumbull was responsible for the design of the original Yale Gallery, the first such art museum in the United States connected with an educational institution. The purpose of the search is to complete a check list of his works and discover their location.

Col. Trumbull's paintings are richly steeped in the tradition of Yale, New Haven and Connecticut, as well as the revolutionary period. According to Prof. John Marshall Phillips, director of the Yale art gallery, the artist seemed to have a faculty for appearing on the scene of action just as history was being made. He, therefore, gave the U. S. many pictorial records, otherwise unobtainable, of this country's early background.

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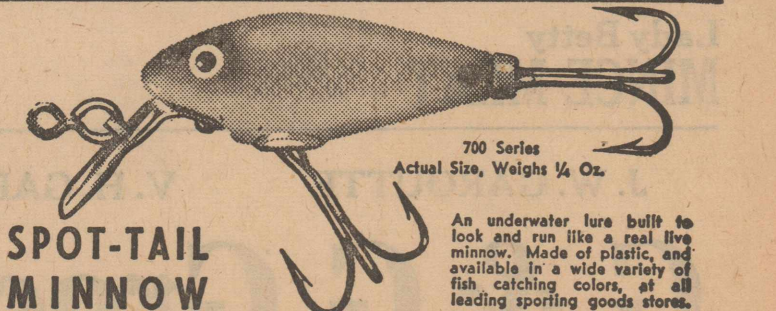
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WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

Congress Fights Truman Proposals; High Crop Goals Set, Wheat Cut; Atomic Tests Assure New Power

By Bill Schoentgen, WNU Staff Writer

(EDITOR'S NOTE: When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of Western Newspaper Union's news analysts and not necessarily of this newspaper.)

CONGRESS: Feudin' and Fightin'

Bitter recriminations resounded as the fight between President Truman and the GOP-controlled congress moved into a new round with convening of the extra session of the 80th congress.

In a dynamite-laden atmosphere, the President appeared before a joint session of the congress which he had labeled "one of the worst in history" to demand a sweeping anti-inflation economic program. The reception for both the President and his program was cool as Republicans launched their wrecking-crew tactics.

Defiant GOP leaders charged Mr. Truman with playing politics and prepared to play politics of their own. The net result, it appeared, would be a short special session.

Initial step in the GOP's program of obstruction was a decision that the extra session should consider only those recommendations made by Mr. Truman which could "pass a test." This test, established by the majority conference, set the qualifications for congressional action as follows:

Proposed legislation must be emergency in character.

It must contain a problem of national importance.

It must be a program which can be processed properly within the time available to an emergency session.

This available time for processing would be no longer than a period of congress which would not "interfere with the proper conduct" of the autumn campaigns.

No appropriation bills were to be considered, nor would any consideration be given to confirmation of nominations which might be sent to the senate by the President.

Over all hung the threat of a Dixie Democrats' filibuster against the anti-poll tax bill, which would widen the rift between Mr. Truman and the southern wing of his party.

There were no surprises in the President's recommended legislative package. He proposed a re-imposition of the excess profits tax, limited restoration of price controls, even more limited wage controls, and enactment of the Taft-Elliender-Wagner housing bill.

WHEAT: Goal Cut

As clogged elevators and enforced embargoes once again mark the nation's harvest of another bumper wheat crop, the department of agriculture recommends a cut of 8 per cent in wheat acreage in its preliminary recommendations for the 1949 crop year.

Although continued high production of other major grain commodities is recommended, a slight decrease is suggested for wheat acreage, which has increased sharply in recent years in response to war and relief needs.

Looking forward in a move to conserve the country's soil resources, the department points out that "a better balance between soil-conserving and soil-depleting crops will actually assure higher productivity over a longer period of years."

Farmers also are urged to provide for sufficient summer fallow and, in marginal areas, to plant grass seed on land which is not suitable for sustained production of crops.

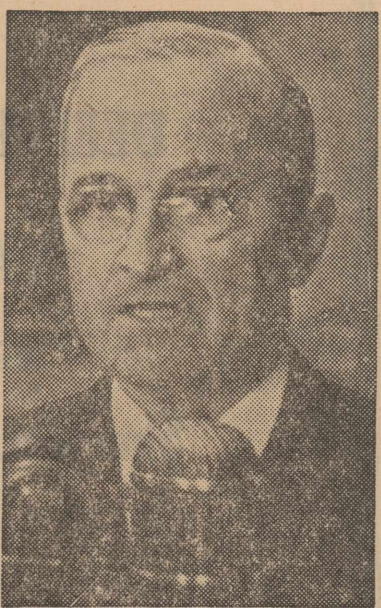
Also considered in arriving at the wheat goal were this year's increased carry-over, prospects that the 1948 crop will be second largest in history and possibility of smaller demand because of improved crops in importing countries.

The department recommended wheat plantings for 1949 of 71.5 million acres which, with an average yield of 15 bushels an acre, would mean production of nearly 1.1 billion bushels. July estimate of 1948 wheat production was 1,241,751,000 bushels.

In setting another farm goal, the department recommended a beef cattle breeding herd of 15.5 million cows next January 1, a decrease of about 500,000 head. Better management, improved feeding practices and thorough culling, it was suggested, will "put the cattle industry in better position to supply the meat requirements of the increased population."

The recommendations are submitted to state agricultural councils for consideration. State goals and final national goals are determined on the basis of state review and recommendations.

Hands in Pockets



Face to face with the congress he had labeled "worst, save one," in history, President Truman was greeted by one of the coolest congressional receptions ever accorded a chief executive when he appeared before the special session. Only polite applause came occasionally from the galleries and from administration followers; Republicans kept their hands in their pockets.

A-BOMBS: New Force

The veil of secrecy which has shrouded most of the post-war atomic energy experiments was lifted, a tiny bit at least, for the American public in the fourth semi-annual report of the atomic energy commission and an accompanying statement by President Truman.

Justifying the secrecy, the President contended that until controls are established on the international level to prevent use of atomic energy for military purposes "we cannot, as a nation, afford to disclose these secrets which make this new force the most deadly form of military weapon." With that statement, the American people, anxiously eyeing war clouds on the horizon, are inclined to agree.

Some measure of reassurance was contained in both reports, stressing the fact that the nation has gained new power in atomic weapons. Both disclosed that the secret tests of new type bombs at the proving grounds on Eniwetok island early this year were highly successful.

The commission's report, the fourth semi-annual summary to congress as provided by law, indicated there were three bombs used at Eniwetok in the spring project known as "Operation Sandstone." Principal study was "on the generation of nuclear explosion itself" rather than "on the effects of the nuclear explosion," as was the case in the earlier Bikini tests.

The report stressed developments of atomic energy research in medicine, agriculture, metallurgy, other sciences and industry. Radioactive materials have been given 229 institutions and commercial agencies for experimentation.

LIVING COSTS: Hit Peak

They changed the name—from cost of living index to consumers price index—but they still can't change the trend—upward and ever upward.

In fact, the index struck an all-time high on June 15, with food prices reaching record-shattered levels, the bureau of labor statistics reports.

The index, which represents retail prices of goods and services bought by moderate income families in large cities, registered 171.7 per cent of the 1935-39 average.

Further increases are inevitable, too, for wholesale prices hit an all-time high during the week ended July 17 and it takes about a month for their impact to be recorded in retail prices.

The new consumers price index is 9.3 per cent higher than a year ago; 28.8 per cent above June, 1946, when price controls generally were abandoned, and 74.1 per cent above the August, 1939, level. On V-J Day in 1945 the same index was 129.3 per cent of the 1935-39 average.

PRECARIOUS PERCH

Americans Seek Economic Security

Increasingly aware of the need for economic security for themselves and their families, Americans will expend approximately 15 billion dollars for that purpose in 1948, the Research Council for Economic Security estimates.

The estimate covers payments made under private or government organized plans to meet in-

security arising from death, old age, accident, sickness, disability, unemployment and other conditions.

Northeastern, middlewestern, and Pacific coast states have the largest measure of protection, both in total amounts and in per capita payments. The study discloses.

ASK ME ANOTHER?

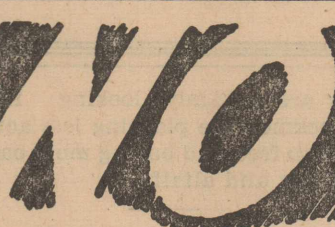
A General Quiz

THE QUESTIONS

1. How did the ancient Romans applaud?
2. How long is the Grand Canyon of Colorado?
3. Through which country of South America does the equator run?
4. How large is a person's heart?
5. Do trout migrate?
6. Is a wolverine a small wolf?

THE ANSWERS

1. By snapping their fingers and waving the flaps of their togas.
2. 200 miles long.
3. Colombia.
4. The average human heart is five inches long, three and one-half inches wide, two and one-half inches thick, and weighs about eleven ounces.
5. Yes, but not extensively.
6. No, the wolverine is a big weasel.



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SCRIPTURE: Matthew 4:18; Mark 1:16-21, 29; 8:18; 13:3-7; Luke 6:14; John 1:37-43; 6:12-9; 12:20-22; Acts 1:12-14.

DEVOTIONAL READING: John 6:1-14.

Andrew, The Man Who Brought Others.

Lesson for August 15, 1948

MEET Andrew, brother of Simon Peter, fisherman of Galilee. Follow his career and you will account him one of the truly great men of the ages.

chiefly because he was ever alert to help men on to God. He was always introducing his friends to Jesus.

There are many passages of scripture cited for this study, with the devotional reading in Luke and the Golden Text from John 1:40: "He brought him to Jesus."

Dr. Newton

WHAT ANDREW TOLD HIS FRIENDS

WHEN Andrew met Jesus, and discovered in him the Saviour of men, he went and found his brother, Simon, and said unto him, "We have found the Messiah, which is, being interpreted, the Christ," John 1:41.

What do we tell our friends? Do we not delight to tell our friends what we have found to be good? This was the mission of Andrew—telling his friends about Jesus, for he had found in Jesus that which was good. John the Baptist had told Andrew about Jesus, and he was determined that he would tell every one who would listen this good news.

HOW ANDREW KNEW ABOUT JESUS

ANDREW got his impressions of Jesus firsthand. When he heard John the Baptist say, "Behold the Lamb of God that taketh away the sin of the world," he went on to inquire about Jesus, and Jesus bade him and John spend the day with Him. They did, from 10 o'clock in the morning until late afternoon. That was enough. Andrew knew from that day about Jesus. He was now ready to tell others what he knew about Jesus.

Do we know Jesus well enough to tell others about him? If a fisherman could tell the story effectively, cannot everyone? But let us remember this, no man can introduce his friend to Jesus until he himself knows Jesus.

THE MAN WHO BROUGHT OTHERS

LET'S look for a moment at some of the people Andrew brought to Jesus. We begin, of course, with Simon, his brother. Here, I think, is the highest test of his ability to tell others about Jesus—bringing his own brother. It is often easier to tell strangers about Jesus than those of our own family.

And now we see Andrew yonder in the multitude, finding the lad with the leaves and fishes, and bringing him to Jesus. That is the test of seeing the right person at the right time. And again this is the acid test of introducing people to Jesus.

Again, we see Andrew sensing the fact that some young Greeks had come a long way to see Jesus. He knew how to help them. In this incident we see the final example of winning people to Jesus—cultured Greeks, who were familiar, we may assume, with the current thought of the world. But this simple fisherman of Galilee knew how to approach them, how to gain their attention, how to bring them to Jesus.

THEY WAIT FOR THE ANDREWS TODAY

THE world waits for some Andrew today. I fully believe that most people could be won to Christ if only there were enough Andrews. Rarely have I had a person to repel me when I faithfully followed the leading of the Holy Spirit to speak to such person about Jesus.

Andrew did not rely upon his own resources. He went in the might of the Lord. He knew what Jesus had done for him. He yearned to see all men enjoy their blessing. He was a simple messenger—a voice.

And God gave him words—words that fell like good seed into fertile soil. So may we today introduce our friends to Jesus. Only let us remember this—we must first know him!

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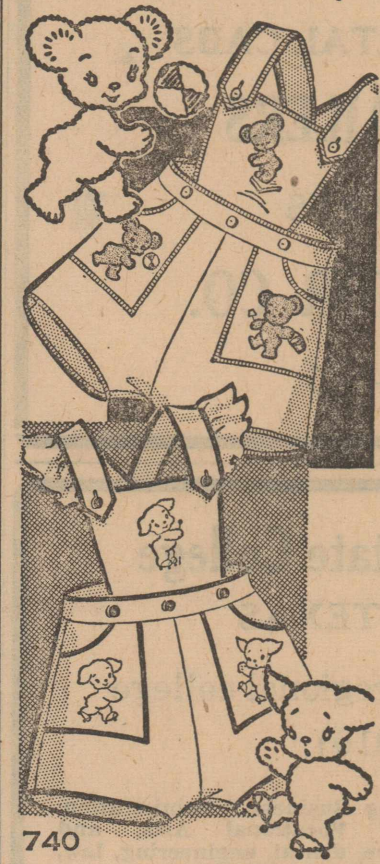
Philosophy

A little philosophy inclineth man's mind to atheism, but depth in philosophy bringeth man's mind about to religion.—Bacon.

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South Sherman News

The dry area in this part of the county has at last received a good drenching rain. An inch or two and a half inches fell Saturday night. It will be sufficient for planting and the tillers are back on the job again. Sherman Holt and Norman Bridwell are sewing their summer fallowed land in the hopes of having early wheat pasture. The Lasley boys have their land in excellent condition and this rain will bring up the volunteer wheat for the last plowing.

Mr. and Mrs. Odell Pugh were in Amarillo Monday attending to business; and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lasley were there the latter part of last week for a visit to Mrs. Lasley's dentist.

Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Mallett of Eskridge, Kansas were here the first of the week visiting her sister, Mrs. Bridwell and family. They were en-route to Colorado for a few weeks vacation.

Mrs. Glen Craig tells us her daughter, Madeline, will attend Phillips University at Enid, Oklahoma this year. The Craigs recently purchased the Berry Cox place about three miles out of Texhoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Gorman have returned from Pekin, Indiana. They visited Albert Smith, Mrs. Gorman's father while there.

Laura Ann Dodson, daughter of the late Brannock Dodson, is soon to wed Ted Berry, a fine youth who is farming out of Texhoma.

Florence Lee Craig is in Denver visiting her uncle and family.

The feed crops in the commun-

ity are certainly looking fine. Stockmen are planting less acreage to feed and buying more bailed hay and alfalfa.

Ray Criswell who resided in this community years ago, was at the sale ring in Texhoma Monday with a truck load of Colorado honey for sale. The sale ring is becoming a marketing place for the truckers.

Morris Freeman had 3 tractors and a quantity of fuel oil destroyed by fire. It is reported the accident occurred when one of the men lighted a cigarette while refueling.

Glenn Brotherton, who has been employed by Bob Evans during the summer, has returned to his home at Matador, Texas for a visit with his parents before entering Wesley College at Fort Worth. Glenn is a great basketball player and will play the coming year.

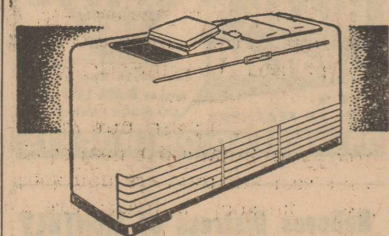
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Armour's Star LUNCH TONGUE 6 Ounces **29**
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Morton's SALT 4 Pounds **13**
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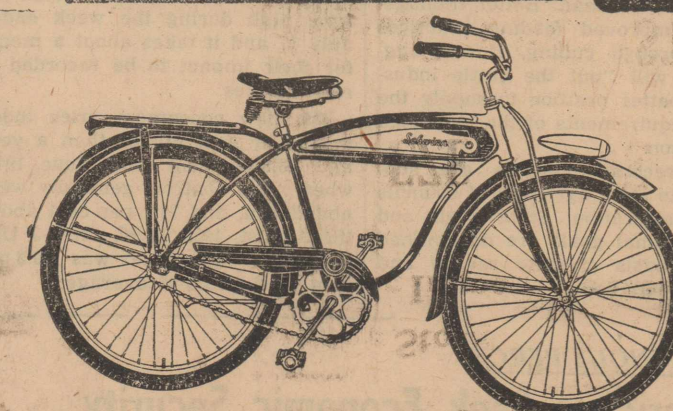
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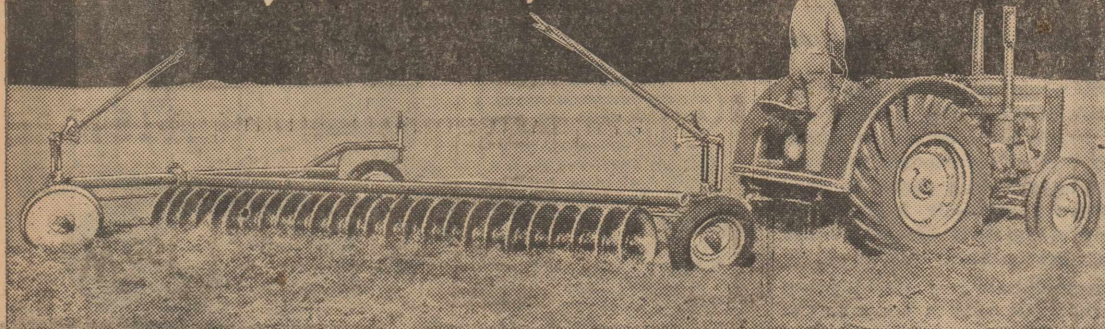
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